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For: *METHODS AND DEOXYRIBONUCLEIC ACID FOR THE PREPARATION OF TISSUE FACTOR PROTEIN*Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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## AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the interview with the examiner on December 4, 2002, please amend the application as follows.

## In the Claims

4. (five times amended) Purified human tissue factor [protein] fragment expressed from a nucleotide molecule encoding a tissue factor selected from the group consisting of tissue factor having an amino acid sequence as provided in Figure 2 from at least amino acid residue one to at least amino acid residue 219, and human tissue factor having an amino acid sequence as provided in Figure 2 from at least amino acid residue one to at least amino acid residue 219 wherein an amino acid residue at an N- or O-glycosylation site is substituted, wherein the tissue factor has activity in a clotting assay with human plasma.

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